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Financial Sheet, for periods ending 31st March 1916, and which had been audited by the Government Auditor, E. H. V. Weigall Esq., on the 19th July, when Mr. Robt. Seal, and the Assistant Overseer attended.

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The Local Government Board Circular on the Registration of Voters Act 1916, and its effect on the powers and duties of Overseers, and also the payment of Assistant Overseers for registration work, was again brought forward. After some discussion Mr. Braund proposed, and Mr. Jas. Chadfield seconded "That the Overseers be empowered to pay the sum of Three pounds to the Assistant Overseer in lieu of the usual allowance made by the Residing Barrister". This was unanimously agreed to.

These Minutes were read, confirmed, and signed at a Meeting held on the 8th day of January 1914

Ernest St. Maur. { Presiding
Chairman

A Parish Council Meeting was held at Burton Hall on Monday the 8th day of January 1914 at half past six o'clock in the evening.

Present: The Rt. Honble. the Lord Ernest St. Maur. -
- Chairman - G. P. Braund Esq., and
Messrs. Robt. Seal, and W. Hallam.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read, confirmed, and signed.

The Clerk read a Memorandum from the Local Government Board on the various provisions

for the further postponement of the Elections of local authorities and other bodies and other matters incidental thereto.

A circular was received from the County Council to consider the provision of seed for potato growing in the parish during the coming year. After some discussion it was decided to put notices in the shop windows, and to circularize the parish asking for names and quantities of seed potatoes required to be sent in to the Clerk, the total quantity to be then forwarded to the County Council.

These Minutes were read, confirmed, and signed at a Meeting held on the 23rd day of Feb. 1914.

Ernest St. Mawr { Presiding
Chairman.

A Parish Council Meeting was held at Burton Hall, on Friday evening, the 23rd February 1914, at half past six o'clock.

Present:- The Rt. Honble. the Lord Ernest St. Mawr —
— Chairman — G. P. Braund Esq., Messrs.
R. Seal, and H. Hallam.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read, confirmed, and signed.

The Clerk reported that the Overseers' Accounts for the Half Year ending the 30th Sept. 1916 were audited by E. H. V. Weigall Esq., Government Auditor, at the Longborough Union on Wednesday, January 24th 1917 when

he and Mr. Robert Seal attended. Balance sheets presented. The Balance Sheets of the Prestwold Parochial Charities Trustees were also presented. A further circular with regard to the seed potatoes was received from the Organiser of Agriculture, and presented.

The following were selected as being competent to serve the Office of Parish Constable:-

Mr. Robert Seal - Farmer

" Thos. By. Chadfield "

" James Chadfield "

" Bertie Arthur Barnett "

These Minutes were read, confirmed, and signed at a Meeting held on the 30th day of March 1914.

Ernest Maur, { Presiding
Chairman

The Annual Assembly of the Parish Meeting was held in the Village Hall Reading Room on Friday the 16th day of March 1914 at half past six o'clock in the evening.

Present:- The Lord Ernest St. Maur - Chairman - G. P. Braund Esq., Messrs. Robt. Seal, Henry Hallam, J. Chadfield, W. H. Marsh, and H. Schofield.

There was no business.

These Minutes were read, confirmed, and signed, at a Meeting held on the 30th day of March 1914.

Ernest Maur, { Presiding
Chairman

A Parish Council Meeting was held at Burton Hall on Friday the 30th day of March 1914 at half past six o'clock in the evening.

Present: The Rt. Honble. the Lord E. St. Maur (Chairman), Messrs. G. P. Braund, H. Hallam, W. H. Marsh, and R. Seal.

The Minutes of the last Council Meeting, and also of the Annual Assembly of the Parish Meeting, were read, confirmed, and signed.

Business: The business of the meeting was to consider a letter from the Loughborough Rural District Council to the Chairman of the Parish Council as to what steps should be taken in this district to secure the enrolment of the men of this Parish for National Service, and suggesting a canvass.

A discussion took place, and the feeling was generally expressed that as all available men were fully occupied in Agricultural work, and the eligible men had been taken into the army if it would be useless making a canvass of the Parish. It was, however, decided that a National Service form should be issued to every man, and also a further supply of literature, if received, and the Clerk was directed to send a reply to this effect.

Annul. Par. Cl. Meetg. The Annual Meeting of the Parish Council was fixed for Friday, the 20th of April at 6.30.

These Minutes were read, confirmed, and signed at a meeting held on the 20th day of April 1914. Ernest H. Mavor. { Presiding Chairman

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The Annual Meeting of the Parish Council was held at Burton Hall on Friday the 20th day of April at 6.30 o'clock in the evening.

Present:- The Lord E. St. Maur, G. P. Braund Esq., & Messrs. R. Seal and J. Chadfield.

Mr. Braund was elected to the Chair pro tem.

Chairman:- On the proposition of Mr. Braund, seconded by Mr. Seal, the Right Honourable the Lord Ernest St. Maur was unanimously elected Chairman for the ensuing year.

Overseers:- Lord E. St. Maur proposed and Mr. Chadfield seconded that Messrs. G. P. Braund and R. Seal be re-elected Overseers for the ensuing year. Unanimously agreed to. The necessary notices to the Guardians of the Bank were signed.

Minutes:- The Minutes of the last meeting were read, confirmed, and signed.

The clerk stated that he had replied to the letter from the Dobbo. Rural Dist. Council on National Service, and he had distributed forms to every man in the parish.

The clerk also mentioned that half the quantity of potatoes ordered had been received and distributed, and the other half was to follow.

These Minutes were read, confirmed, and signed at a Meeting held on the 6th day of September 1914. { Presiding
Ernest St. Maur. { Chairman

A Parish Council Meeting was held at Burton Hall, on Thursday the 6th day of September 1914, at half-past six o'clock in the evening.

Present:- The Rt. Honble. the Lord Ernest St. Maur (Chairman), Messrs. G. P. Braund, Jas. Chadfield, Henry Hallam, and Robert Seal.

Minutes:- The Minutes of the last meeting were read, confirmed, and signed.

Potatoes:- The Clerk reported that the second half of the quantity of potatoes ordered duly arrived and were distributed.

Audit:- The Clerk also reported that he and Mr. Seal attended the audit of the Parish Council and Overseers' Accounts for the year and half year ending 31st March 1914 respectively, by E. H. V. Weigall Esq. District Government Auditor, at the Loughborough Union, on the 14th day of June. The Accounts were presented to the Council.

Sugar:- A circular from the Leicestershire War Agricultural Executive Committee relating to the distribution of sugar for jam making was read, but there was nothing for the Council to do in the matter.

The Clerk called the attention of the Parish Council to the grant of £3 made to him last September on account of the loss of the Revising Barrister's allowance.

These Minutes were read, confirmed, and signed at a Meeting held on the 18th day of February 1918.

Ernest St. Maur. { Presiding
Chairman